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CURRENT COMMENT.

What the Kentucky Editors are Saying.
"In Indian nomenclature Dr. Clardy and Mr. Clay might be denominated 'Candidate-Afraid-of-Sub-Treasury-Bill,' and 'Politician-a-Straddle-of-the-Fence,'" —Owensboro Messenger.

Negotiations are in progress looking to a combination of all the barbed wire manufacturers in the country. Truly this would be a monopoly hard for the people to sit down upon.—Glasgow Times.

C. P. Huntington has paid \$11,500 for a cattle picture. Mr. Huntington's quondam friend, Leland Stanford, goes in for the real article. He pays a great deal more for cattle and gets an ornamental senatorship thrown in.—Owensboro Inquirer.

A notorious dead-beat, who has frequently ordered the Record, but never had paid for it, met an attacke of the Record office a few days ago and said: "Here, you can stop my Record. I subscribed for the paper three weeks ago and have never got a copy yet; so you can just stop it."—Nelson Record.

When a party is compelled to resort to force in order to retain power against the declared will of the people, it would seem that there is no longer a necessity for the existence of such a party. The time has come when the republican party can very well be dispensed with. The best interests of the country require that it should be sent into retirement.—Georgetown Times.

If that august assemblage—the Kentucky constitutional convention—will permit us, we will suggest that while faith without works is dead, a little mixture of faith in their kind with their creative work will aid them very materially. The average legislature is an evil, but a necessary evil, and in the very nature of the case, something must be left to that body.—Louisville Times.

Under the secret ballot republicanism in Kentucky would dwindle in power and prestige as it dwindle in Indiana, Massachusetts and in Rhode Island. In Indiana because Dudley-ism and Quay-ism were impotent. In Massachusetts and in Rhode Island because the power of coercion by the mill owners over their operatives was taken away. Where the secret ballot is there is freedom of election and where there is freedom of election the democratic party has nothing to fear.—Covington Commonwealth.

It is hardly necessary to give credit for this. Nobody but Mr. Watterson would ever be thought of in connection with it:

"When thieves fall out," says the adage, and echo answers, "Look at Quay; look at Hoar; look at Ingalls, and look over into the House at Tom, Tom, the piper's son, who didn't even get away with his pig." The venerable statesman from Vermont may rub and rub that red nose of his. It will do no good. Whom the Gods mean to destroy, whisks him off.

Congressman Mills is hot-headed and quick-tempered, but no sensible and non-partisan man will censure him for his outburst in the House yesterday. Speaker Reed has bullied and domineered over his political enemies in that body so long that the wonder is, not that one of them should simply have denounced him on the floor, but that some one of them had not actually used personal violence. Such retaliation, from a parliamentary standpoint, is to be deprecated, of course, but one doesn't stop to pick his words or employ the polite manners of a Chesterfield when dealing with a bully.—Louisville Post.

The time has come round again for calling a spade a spade. The grand old party is between hell and the iron-works. There is no other simile that fits its case. The narrow strip of territory supposed to lie between the devil and the deep sea is an oasis in the desert in comparison with the rocky promontory that juts out into the waves of flame which surge up from the McKinley rolling-mill on one side and seeth and hiss amid the infernal depths of the Force Bill on the other side. The gentle showers of Reciprocity will not descend to slake the burning thirst of the faithful. A very deluge of free silver will not suffice to pay them out. For there stands the little gentleman, who staggers beneath the load of his grandfather's hat, a veritable Lilliputian Pluto, stirring up the fires of death with a veto, which is just long enough to be terrible to his imps, and not long enough to reach anybody else. It is the republican dies irae. The day of wrath has come; the day of doom is just ahead. The old thing is going to pieces. Whilst it lived, it lived in clover. Let us hope its death will be painless, as we sing:

"Mary had a little lamb,
But where is Mary now?"

—While drilling in his room at Miss Lulu Reed's, at Harrodsburg, Charley Alexander's gun went off, sending a ball through his foot and the floor, ranging down through the ceiling of the room and entering the foot of James Lillard.

Within the past month three people have been seriously wounded and two killed from the careless handling of weapons.

LANCASTER, GARRARD COUNTY.

—E. W. Lillard & Co. have opened a news stand and will keep on hand all the latest publications, &c. This is something Lancaster needs.

—The impromptu hop, given after the musical Monday night, was very enjoyable in every respect. Prof. Clay Black's orchestra furnished the music.

—The branches that were broken from the trees in the park by the heavy sleet have been removed. Some of the beautiful water maples are nearly ruined.

—Miss Maggie Miller has returned from a pleasant visit to Miss Minnie Cecil, at Lebanon. Miss Cecil accompanied her home and will remain a few days. Col. J. T. Knox, the insurance man, was here a few days this week. Mrs. S. T. Leavell, who has been quite sick, is very much improved. W. S. Ferguson is back from a visit to Covington. Mr. Tom Walker, of the firm of Walker & Doty, is able to be out again, after several days' illness. Mrs. Robert L. Bettis is visiting the family of George W. Bettis. Mrs. A. J. Rice is spending a few days with the family of H. A. Marksbury.

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W. P. WALTON.

THERE WAS a h. o. t. in the House Tuesday and a similar caloric condition existed for a short time Wednesday. Speaker Reed made a ruling even more unfair than usual, when Mr. Mills, unable to restrain his indignation, went up to the chair and denounced Reed for perpetrating a fraud on the House. Several republicans took up the quarrel and Mills being backed by his party, a personal collision seemed imminent.

Speaker Reed called up the Sergeant-at-Arms to help him yesterday. In the New Hampshire legislature the republican managers called in the police. In Nebraska they had the militia. In Colorado and Wisconsin they tried revolvers. In Montana they used fists. In Connecticut they are still threatening the use of Gatling guns. Let us have a Force bill for the North."

The Illinois legislature seems to be deadlocked on the senatorial question, but it is hoped and believed that the three Alliance men, who are voting for Streeter, will realize the error of their way and go over to Gen. Palmer, who has 101 votes to Oglesby's 100.

SENATOR STANFORD has offered a bill to expend a million of dollars in providing an extension for the White House. This would be a waste of money. The House is much too large now for the little man who occupies it.

The Glasgow Times speaks of the bow-legged soul of John Gaines, of the Bowling Green Times. We were aware that John's legs are very crooked, but are surprised at this statement. He must be in a very bad fix.

THE Lexington papers never get here till the day after publication. A little investigation as to the wherefore is in order.

NEWSY NOTES.

— Senator Teller was re-elected in Colorado and Senator Jones in Arkansas.

— Miss Octavia Brough, of Harrodsburg, died in Louisville of catarrhal fever.

— Of the 228 hangings in the U. S. last year, Judge Lynch tied the knot in 126.

— Several St. Louis importers have entered suit to test the McKinley tariff law.

— W. A. Tribble sold to P. W. Green his handsome roadster gelding for about \$300.

— The oil house and repair-shop of the K. C. at Paris burned; loss \$4,000; insured.

— The C. H. & D. has purchased the Dayton, Fort Wayne and Chicago for \$1,454,000.

— Mrs. Caroline Hardin, step-mother of Gen. Watt Hardin, died at Lawrenceburg, aged 70.

— The new plant of the Standard Motor Co., of Chicago, was destroyed by fire; loss \$14,000.

— Von Borries & Co., dealers in clothiers' and tailors' supplies, Louisville, have failed for \$150,000.

— The case of Judge Charles E. Kincaid for killing Congressman Taulbee has been set for trial March 16.

— The Hon. Chauncey F. Black was nominated for United States Senator by the democrats of the Pennsylvania legislature.

— The Missouri supreme court cut off 20 square miles of Kansas City's territory and 15,000 of her population at one fell swoop.

— Freddy Gebhardt and Bob Hillard had a set-to at a French ball over the Jersey Lily and pommelled each other considerably.

— The U. S. Supreme Court has decided that children of polygamous marriages are entitled to share in the distribution of their father's estate.

— Russell Petty, who killed Win. Cole in a quarrel over 25 cents lost in a crap game, last June, at Paducah, has been sentenced to hang April 17.

— Assistant Secretary Bussey has decided that the mother of a soldier who became insane from army service, and committed suicide, is entitled to a pension.

— Mr. John Finzer, President of the Five Brothers' Tobacco works, and a member of the Board of Park Commissioners, died at Berne, Switzerland, Sunday night.

— Oliver Hixon, the negro who attempted a criminal assault on a white girl near Fayette, Mo., was taken from the jail by a mob and hanged from the limb of a tree.

— The Winchester opera house will be rebuilt on a grand scale and the city council has agreed, in order to help the company recoup, to charge it no license for several years.

— It is said that after Feb. 1, the E. T. V. & G. system will run a through train daily from Junction City to Louisville and return by way of Burgin and the Louisville Southern.

— The Confederate flag was displayed in Richmond, Va., on the occasion of the celebration of Gen. Lee's birthday and the northern noodies are shrieking in impotent fury again.

— David Jacks, the Monterey county, Cal., millionaire, can ride 20 miles in a straight line on his own land. He is a Scotchman and in 1849 stowed himself away in a barrel on a vessel bound for California.

MR. ALDRICH, of Rhode Island, has at last gotten the "cloture" before the Senate and that has for the time being taken the place of the Force bill. The "cloture" is simply a gag law giving the republicans the right to cut off debate when they choose. If it is forced through, and it is said that Mr. Morton is ready to do his part to that end, the Force bill will be passed as a matter of course. The leaders of the republican party seem bent on doing everything to accomplish their complete destruction.

— In Connecticut Senator Platt pulled through by the slight majority of seven over his democratic opponent.

— It is sent out from Washington that

there is a majority against it in the committee to which it was referred, and the silver bill will not be reported in the House.

— An Arkansas mob assaulted a negro named Rich Brown, in his house, near Little Rock. He defended himself with a shotgun and killed one and wounded another of the assailants.

— The U. S. Supreme Court has decided that the Virginia law restricting the sale of dressed meats from other States is unconstitutional, because an interference with inter-State commerce.

— Miss Harpe Baker, a young lady prominent in society at Dixon, committed suicide by shooting herself through the heart. She had attended a ball the night before and quarreled with her lover.

— The body of the mail carrier between Whitesburg and Big Stone Gap was found with two bullet holes in it and the mail pouch rifled. The man had been missing since the Christmas storm.

— A company, with Austin Corbin of the Long Island railroad, at its head, was incorporated in New York to construct a tunnel between New York and Brooklyn. The capital is placed at \$3,000,000.

— E. Elwood, of Mount Morris, Mich., guessed he would die nine years hence. He was so sure of it that he had his tombstone erected and dated 1899. His prophetic vision was at fault, as he just died.

— A Jessamine county woman has given birth to a healthy child that has two perfectly formed faces. The faces, which in nowise resemble one another, are located at right angles on the front side of the head.

— The body of Tom Welch, an employee of the water-works at Middletown, formerly of St. Louis, was found on the L. & N. railroad track, near the crossing of that city. It is feared the man was murdered.

— The Commercial Hotel, on Market street, Louisville, has been bought by a syndicate composed in part of W. N. Haldeman and W. T. Grant and will be known as the Alexander and run by "Uncle Joe."

— In the Washington legislature, representative Metcalf sent to the speaker \$2,500, which he claimed had been given him as a bribe to vote for W. H. Collier, candidate for the United States Senatorship.

— W. F. Parker went to the public school at Syracuse, N. Y., in which his wife was a teacher and shot her dead. The green eyed monster was the cause and Mr. Parker will likely become a victim of electrocution.

— Dr. S. A. Kiser, of Fostoria, O., who was charged by a pretty widow with rape, while in his office having her teeth fixed, died from the effects of the scandal, although he was pronounced innocent before the courts.

— A man named Davis, who had married Mrs. Lewis, a pretty widow at Somerset, was dragged out of bed by Detective Bates and taken to Knoxville for murder, committed last September. The bride is nearly frantic with grief.

— King Kalakaua, of the Sandwich Islands, died at San Francisco, where he was on a business visit. His body will be embalmed and taken home by a U. S. flag ship. His sister, who married an Englishman, is heir to the throne.

— The Tennessee legislature will follow Alabama's example and hold up the bill making an appropriation for an exhibit of the State's resources at the World's Fair until after the Federal Senate has taken action on the Force bill.

— In the Senate Wednesday the democrats moved for a correction of the journal in regard to the action on the election resolution taken Tuesday evening, and then debated the matter all day and at midnight the Senate adjourned, with the journal not approved.

— The Alabama legislature refuses to make an appropriation for a State exhibit at the World's Fair, until the Force bill is defeated. The ground is taken that if this measure becomes a law it will work such injury to Alabama and the South that it would be useless to spend money to try to induce immigration.

— A train on the Rio Grande railroad, in Texas, was wrecked and robbed by 15 masked men. They placed obstructions on the track, derailed the train, held up the passengers and got away with about \$20,000 in Mexican money, which was en route for shipment at Brazos by the steamboat Morgan to New Orleans.

— The Jefferson county farmers' alliance elected delegates to the conference of farmers and laborers at Cincinnati, in February, but instructed them to oppose the attempt to form a third party, and to leave the convention if this be insisted upon.

— President Bedinger said afterwards that the farmers would abandon the alliance before they would quit their present party organization.

— The District Court has decided against the Louisiana Lottery in the suit to compel the Secretary of State to promulgate the lottery amendment to the constitution, passed by the last legislature, in order that the people may vote on it at the next election. He refused to do this on the ground that the amendment was never properly passed by the legislature, having been vetoed by the governor. The case will be appealed.

— The Winchester opera house will be rebuilt on a grand scale and the city council has agreed, in order to help the company recoup, to charge it no license for several years.

— It is said that after Feb. 1, the E. T. V. & G. system will run a through train daily from Junction City to Louisville and return by way of Burgin and the Louisville Southern.

— The Confederate flag was displayed in Richmond, Va., on the occasion of the celebration of Gen. Lee's birthday and the northern noodies are shrieking in impotent fury again.

— David Jacks, the Monterey county, Cal., millionaire, can ride 20 miles in a straight line on his own land. He is a Scotchman and in 1849 stowed himself away in a barrel on a vessel bound for California.

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We are busy, while almost every one else is complaining of dull times. We are always busy, simply because we have at all times something special to offer. Nothing of our present stock must remain on hand next Spring. We do not believe in carrying goods from one season to another. To quickly accomplish

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We have reduced the prices throughout our entire stock. Some things have only borne a slight reduction; others have been reduced considerably, while not a few have had their

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MEANS BUSINESS.

Your account is due and ready. Call and settle and oblige A. R. Penny.

PERSONAL POINTS.

Mrs. H. S. WITHERS is quite ill. Mr. J. K. HUSTON has taken a position with I. M. Bruce.

Lige COFFEY, of Liberty, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Polly Coffey.

Miss PATTIE WILLIS, of Kirkville, is the guest of Mrs. J. R. James.

COL. SILAS ADAMS, of Liberty, was in town Tuesday on legal business.

Miss LIZZIE DUNN, of Boyle, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. M. S. Baughman.

Mrs. ROBERT FENZEL, who has been quite ill with a nervous spell, is much better.

Mrs. COL. J. M. BEAZLEY went over to Lexington yesterday to visit her daughter, Mrs. Johnson.

Miss MAUD RUFLEY is somewhat improved but not sufficiently to fix her wedding day again.

Mr. J. H. GAINES is over from Lexington to attend the bedside of his father, B. W. Gaines, who continues very ill.

Mrs. MACK BRUCE and Miss ANNIE WYATT have returned from a short visit to Capt. and Mrs. Richards at Junction City.

MISS ETTA ADAMS, Nannie Dunn and Florence Jenkins, of Danville, are visiting their cousin, Miss Annie Baughman.

Miss ETHEL BARRETT, of Indianapolis, who visited Miss Bessie Reid during the holidays, returned Wednesday and is again her guest.

W. B. MCKINNEY is confined to his room with a slight attack of malarial fever. Jo. Severance, Jr., is convalescing from a similar trouble.

Mrs. E. T. YOUNG and children, of Dallas, Texas, passed through Wednesday to Lancaster to visit her parents, Capt. and Mrs. F. J. White.

The handsome Miss Jessie Cook, of Hustonville, took the train here Wednesday for Nashville, where she will visit her sister, Mrs. R. J. Lyles.

Mr. M. D. HUGHES was over Tuesday to see his brother, T. V. Hughes, off again for Hot Springs. The latter has a magnesia spring rented there which pays him from \$80 to \$150 a month.

Mr. W. M. SWOPE, of Fayette, was here Tuesday en route to his sister, Mrs. Ballard's, in Garrard, to see his father, who has just suffered a stroke of paralysis. The old gentleman is 84 and it is feared that he cannot survive the shock.

Mrs. W. G. SALA and her pretty daughter, Miss Ora, leave Saturday for Chicago, where they will reside in the future. During their sojourn here they have made many friends, who reluctantly give them up. Mr. W. G. Sala, who preceded them several weeks, has engaged with the Illinois Central railroad and we are glad to say has a lucrative position.

Mr. SAM W. MENEFE has been elected president of the Tau Theta Kappa Society of Georgetown College, an honor which shows how high he stands in the estimation of his school-mates. In a letter to his father he tells of the exciting contest and his final victory by a vote of 20 to 17. The honor was never before bestowed on any but graduating members and Sam is the proudest boy in the State. He is a great man in election and never fails to take a big part for the democratic nominees in every race.

CITY AND VICINITY.

ORANGES 30 cents a dozen. S. S. Myers.

Go to Farris & Hardin's for mixed pickles.

Go to The B. F. Rout Co., for fresh apple butter, pigs feet, &c.

Your account is ready and must be settled. W. B. McRoberts.

Take your eggs to The Cash Bargain Store and get 20 cents per dozen. Opposite Portman House. J. S. Jones.

Conn is selling at \$2.75 a barrel delivered here now and meal has gone up to 75 cents a bushel. Irish potatoes are scarce at \$2.

The Cummins Hotel, at Corbin, was destroyed by fire Tuesday night. Only a small portion of the contents was saved. Insurance \$2,500.

An inch or so of snow covered the earth yesterday morning, but following a rain it fast dissolved in mud and slush, making locomotion very disagreeable.

News has been received by their friends here that another boy has blessed the union of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Boyd, of Knoxville. It will be remembered that Mrs. Boyd was the handsome Miss Anna Logan.

While trying to climb up into his corn-crib, which is several feet from the ground, Mr. William Logan lost his hold and fell to the ground, breaking his arm, spraining his hip and breaking a rib and otherwise badly injuring himself.

WANTED.—Fresh Yellow Butter at A. Warren's "Model Grocery."

Go to Farris & Hardin for hominy flakes. They can be cooked in 15 minutes.

WANTED.—A toll-gate keeper on the Stanford and Ottenheim turnpike. C. M. Jones, Pres.

A big lot of Dr. Warner's health corsets to close out the line at \$1 each. Joe S. Jones, Cash Bargain Store.

THIRTEEN pounds of granulated sugar for \$1; Arbuckle's coffee 25 cents per pound. Cash Bargain Store, opposite Portman House.

Look out for your property to be advertised if you do not settle your tax. I am compelled to wind up my business. T. D. Newland, Esq. L. C.

A PATENT has been granted Willis Adams, Jr., and James Maret, Mt. Vernon, said Adams assignor to L. B. Adams, for an apparatus for preserving fish alive.

THE Lincoln county Building and Saving Association's books are still open for subscriptions to a new series of stock to date, Jan. 1, 1891. Call at their office in the Farmers Bank & Trust Co. J. H. Baughman, Secretary.

THE house of Mrs. Pat Muldoon, who lives on the Hale's Well road, burned Tuesday evening, together with most of the contents. The fire caught from the chimney and burned before assistance arrived. The old lady managed to save one bed and her sewing machine.

THE Odd Fellows are making considerable improvements in their lodge room, which is now used by half a dozen societies and congregations. A reception room has been fitted up and carpeted and all the rooms have had most improved electric lamps placed in them.

BOUGHT A HOME.—Mr. A. J. Earp, the photographer, has bought of Mr. W. G. Raney 48 feet front of his lot on lower Main street and contracted with him for a one-story cottage. The price paid for the whole is \$1,425. Mr. Raney will begin at once the building of the cottage and says it will further add to the good appearance of that end of town.

OUR WEALTH.—Supervisor J. M. Cook tells us that the taxable property in Lincoln county is assessed at \$5,000,000 divided as follows: Stanford precinct \$2,385,000, Hustonville \$1,000,000, Tunesville \$505,000, Walnut Flat \$286,000, Crab Orchard \$351,000, Highland \$88,000 and Waynesburg \$182,000. There are 3,300 voters in the county.

DON'T WANT HIM.—Marshal O. J. Newland received a telegram from Gen. Taylor, chief of police of Louisville, yesterday, stating that he had Silas Embry in tow and that if he was wanted here, he could be had by coming for him. The marshal telephoned the chief that he was not wanted, but on the contrary the citizens here would like to see him kept in Louisville or sent further away if possible. It will be remembered that the little rascal found his way into M. D. Elmore's cash drawer the day he took his departure.

GETTING READY FOR THE SUMMER.—D. G. Slaughter has rented out his Mt. Taylor property and sold his stock of goods and rented his Paint Lick store and dwelling to Messrs. Short & Co., of Lexington, who will take possession on Feb. 2d. Mr. S. will return to Green Briar Springs early in February and begin the erection of several new buildings for the season of 1891. He says he is determined to make an excellent carriage road from Crab Orchard to his springs this summer and leave nothing undone to make his resort the most attractive in Kentucky.

IT is a little soon to begin talking about the horse season, but already some stallions are being advertised in the Lexington and Paris papers. These are therefore to remind you that when you are ready to elaborate on the blood and pedigree of those who wish to stand, that the INTERIOR JOURNAL is ready to accommodate you in any shape, with new cuts and other adornments. We do not claim to do work cheaper than anybody else, but we do assert, without fear of successful contradiction, that we do it as low as similar work can be done by any first-class house.

THOSE parents who think they can outwit the average youth know not how frequently they are fooled. For instance, a short while ago, a couple of young gentlemen and ladies intended taking a trip to a neighboring town and when the young ladies asked their mamas in regard to going they were informed that they could, provided the youths secured a surrey, but under no circumstances could they go in separate buggies. The boys were informed of this and with inventive minds soon had things arranged. A couple of buggies were sent ahead and in a surrey they drove to the respective homes, secured the fair damsels and in less time than it has taken to tell this story, they were paired off and the surrey sent home to be used by older, but probably not wiser heads. By the way, it looks a little foolish on the part of the parents to object to such a thing anyway. If they have not enough confidence in the escort of their daughter to let her go alone with him, would it not be more sensible and better in every way to put a quietus on the whole business by keeping her at home.

A BIRTHDAY DINNER.—Mr. Tinsley Spoonamore gave an elegant birthday dinner Wednesday. About 25 of his friends were present and partook of his hospitality.

SALE OF LOT.—Dr. J. K. Vanarsdale has bought Rev. John Bell Gibson's lot on Somerset pike for \$750. It contains five acres. The doctor is figuring with an architect for a plan for a building on it.

THE stockholders here in the Metropolitan National at Kansas City will be interested in hearing that Mr. J. S. Hocker has received a telegram from President R. W. Hocker stating that his bank was not in the least affected by the failure of the American National there.

"THE Penalty of Crime," which is described as a thoroughly sensational drama, will be presented at Walton's Opera House Feb. 13, by the distinguished comedian, George Bennett, supported by the handsome and talented soubrette, Miss Ella Hunter, and a good company.

THE county committee met yesterday and accepted the resignation of Capt. Thomas Richards, after which a call was made for the democracy of Stanford to meet here at 2 o'clock, January 31, to elect a committeeman. The committee is then requested to meet here on county court day and select a chairman.

A CERTAIN man in town, who does not think it necessary for him to patronize the institutions of the home where he gets his own living, sent off to Louisville for a job of printing the other day, thinking he would save a nickel or so. He got a worse job than we would dare to send out and the whole cost him 15 cents more than our regular rates. Moral: Patronize home institutions, or at least get their prices before you send your money off.

THE Lincoln County Building and Loan Association is going right along helping those who wish to secure homes and making its stockholders over 8 per cent. A dividend of \$1.85 a share was declared for the last six months, altho' but \$45.50 had been paid to Jan. 1. A new series of stock has just been opened and Secretary J. H. Baughman invites investors to call and see for themselves that they cannot do better with their money.

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BURNED TO DEATH.—Mrs. Lucy Cook, wife of Rev. Strother Cook, was so badly burned that she lived but a few hours. Her husband had gone to church, leaving her at home with a young negro boy. She went to sleep while reading a paper near an open fire, and the paper fell from her lap to the grate, igniting her clothing. The negro threw a bucket of water over her, but it did little good. She was 70 years of age and had spent her life in the service of the Lord. She raised a family of 12 children, all of whom survive but one, who was killed in the service of the Lost Cause. One of her sons, Elder Strother Cook, is a missionary to Africa and it will be months before he will hear of his terrible loss in his mother's tragic death. Mrs. Cook was a member of the Baptist church for over half a century and was a lovely Christian, a devoted wife and a tender mother. An old gentleman who was present says that the funeral sermon, which was preached by Rev. W. A. Borem, at Shawnee Run Church, was the most touching he ever listened to and that the procession is said to have been the largest ever seen in Mercer county. The pall-bearers were six of her grand-children, young men ranging in age from 17 to 21 years.

THE MURDER OF GEORGE EMBREE.—The Guthrie, Oklahoma, Capital gives the following account: "Ira N. Terrill rushed out of the Land Office and turned abruptly around to George W. Embree, and said in a loud tone 'You are a———!' Embree, who was standing with his back to the west and leaning against the fence, near the little gate opening into the government acre, promptly applied the same to Terrill, which he himself had been called. 'Take that back or I'll kill you!' fell then from Terrill's lips in thunder tones and out came his polished revolver, the hammer clicked and an instantaneous report said too plainly that murder was to be committed. The second, third, fourth and fifth reports rang out in quick succession and George Embree's soul had taken its flight; his life of life had been put out, and his warm, red blood, gushing out from many cruel wounds, found its way in a little stream toward the street. Not content with his work, the demon, Terrill, crouched by the side of his slain neighbor and snapped the hammer of his revolver twice at the inanimate form, but every cartridge had been exploded and further worldly harm to George Embree was out of the question. The murder, for such it was, had been committed in cold blood and having succeeded in taking the life of a fellow being, Terrill arose and flourishing his revolver over his head started to run. He was pursued and soon captured by the sheriff." An effort was made to take him from the officers and lynch him, but he was gotten away and placed in a military camp for protection. Embree had testified before the land court that Terrill was a "sooner" in his effort to establish a claim. The murdered man was 62 years of age and leaves a wife and little grand daughter. He was well-known here, having visited Stanford several times, the last time being when his uncle, Pate Embree, died.

EXECUTORS' SALE! As executors of the last will and testament of John O. Neal, dec'd, we will, on the 21st of January, 1891, at 10 o'clock, at the old Lewis farm, consisting of 100 acres, in the family of J. F. Cash, near Turnersville, Lincoln Co., Ky., sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, the lumber in the mill or deliver, to suit purchasers. Give me a trial. PAYMENT, MAYWOOD, KY.

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